Fee concessions to the students belonging to the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, and certain other backward classes studying in M. A. correspondence course—orders regarding.

READ :—

1 Government Order No. ED 130 CSS 67, dated 14th March 1968.

2 Government Order No. ED 167 CSS 69, dated 17th September 1969.

3 Government Order No. ED 215 CSS 69, dated 11th February 1971.

4 Government Order No. ED 5 CSS 70, dated 28th October 1972.

5 Endorsement No. DSW/GOI/1/71-72, dated 7th August 1973 from the Director of Social Welfare, Bangalore.

6 Letter No. DCE-122 SCT 72, dated 18th October 1973 from the Director of Collegiate Education, Bangalore.

PREAMBLE :—

The uniform rules for award of fee concessions to Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes and certain other backward classes were issued in Government Order No. ED 130 CSS 67 dated 14th March 1968 read above. In Government Order No. ED 167 CSS 69, dated 17th September 1969, cited (2) above, sub-clause (1) to Rule (5) was added extending the benefit of fee concessions to the students of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and certain other backward classes studying in evening colleges and also those candidates who appear for the S.S.L.C or University Examination as Private Candidates. In Government Order No. ED 215 CSS 69, dated 11th February 1971, cited at (3) above, sub-clause (2) to Rule (5) was added extending the benefit of fee concessions to the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and certain other Backward Classes students studying Private Non-aided Institutions which are either recognised by Government or affiliated to the Universities in the State. In the Government Order No. ED 5 CSS 70 dated 28th October 1972, cited at (4) above, Sub-Clause (3) to Rule (5) was added extending the benefit of fee concessions to the Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribes and certain other Backward Classes students studying in correspondence courses and continuing Education for Pre-University and B.A. Degree Courses of any of the Universities in the State.

Now the Director of Social Welfare has requested the Government to extend the same educational concessions to the students studying for M.A. through correspondence courses so as to encourage them to acquire higher knowledge. The Director of Collegiate Education, Bangalore, agreeing with the proposal of the Director of Social Welfare, has requested to extend the benefits to the students studying for M. A. through correspondence courses.

ORDER No. ED 82 CSS 73, BANGALORE DATED 1ST FEBRUARY 1974.

Government are pleased to direct that the sub-clause No. 3 to Rule 5 in Government Order No. ED 5 CSS 70 dated 28th October 1972 shall be substituted by the following clause extending the benefit of fee concessions to the students studying for M. A. through correspondence courses.

"The students of Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes and other backward classes studying in correspondence courses and continuing education for the Pre-University, B.A. and M.A. Degree Courses of any of the Universities in the Karnataka State shall be exempted from payment of fees prescribed for the said Courses".

This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department *vide* their U. O. Note No. FD 3709/W-I dated 18th January 1974.

By Order and in the name of the Governor of Karnataka

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Education and Youth Services Department.